

THE COCONINO SUN

Church Notices.

Preaching services at the Methodist church Sunday, June 26th—to-morrow. Morning discourse, "Whose We Are." Evening discourse, "The Choice of God's." All are cordially invited to attend these services.

C. P. Wilson, Pastor.

Childrens' service Sunday morning at the Presbyterian church.

Special Services at the Catholic Church.

On Sunday, the 26th inst., a series of interesting services will take place at the Church of the Nativity. Right Rev. Peter Bourgade, D. D., bishop of Tucson, arrived in the city on Friday last and on Sunday will preach at High Mass. After mass he will administer the Sacrament of Confirmation to a large class of children and to a number of adults. The pastor, Rev. Felix Dilly, will sing the High Mass and the choir will render an especially fine programme. In the West it is rarely we are given an opportunity to attend the administration of the Sacrament of Confirmation. It is one of the most impressive functions of the Catholic church, and even those who are not members of the church will be interested in seeing it. All are cordially invited to be present at the service, especially at the sermon of the Right Rev. Bishop.

In the evening the noted Jesuit missionary Rev. Henry M. Finnegan, S. J., will lecture at the church on "The Church of Christ." Father Finnegan has been engaged for a number of years in giving missions throughout the west in company with Rev. Thos. Sherman, S. J., son of Gen. W. T. Sherman. He is now on his way to St. Louis and has kindly offered to stop off to deliver a lecture in our town. It is to be hoped that many will come to hear him and enjoy a treat. The lecture is free and

all are cordially invited to attend.

The following will be the order of services for Sunday:

At 7:30 a. m. Low Mass.

At 10 a. m. High Mass with sermon by Rt. Rev. Peter Bourgade, bishop of Tucson.

Immediately after High Mass, Confirmation service.

At 8 p. m. evening service, at which time Rev. Henry M. Finnegan, S. J., will lecture on "The Church of Christ."

Disastrous Fire at Albuquerque.

Grant's opera house block in Albuquerque was destroyed by fire last Sunday morning. The building was valued at \$60,000 and was insured for \$21,000. Ilfeld Bros., general merchants, occupied the lower floor and their loss is estimated at \$150,000 with an insurance of \$102,000.

Yes, Arizona's promptitude in furnishing her quota of soldiers should be remembered to her credit when the question of her statehood comes up again. Her population is now nearly double that of Nevada, and while Nevada's figure dropped from 62,266 to 45,761 in the decade of 1880-90, Arizona has been steadily and rapidly advancing in population. By all means give Arizona a place among the stars, that glorious constellation that adorns the field of the American flag.—Los Angeles Express.

Says the Phoenix Daily Enterprise: Cattle shipments out of the valley still continue. Twelve carloads are to be shipped from Glendale to eastern points, and Bark and Criswell will ship a trainload to-morrow to Colorado. Christy Bros. sold a carload to E. A. Cutter of Wilcox, and sent it out Saturday evening.

Attorney Phil Thornton of Williams has been transacting business with the court officers to-day.